



Just do it



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Chapter 1 by Grace1517

I was breathing hard, I had to do it. I heard the voice in my head, just do it. How could I go on? This course is one of the hardest in the Universe, and I must be the champion, I must win no matter the cost.

On the planet of Xorebb, Selena was competing to become the champion of the Universe, if she didn't, her planet would be forgotten. The Guardians would turn her planet to ashes, the planet and all of the inhabitants would be destroyed. She couldn't afford to lose.

Chapter 2 by Jacqueline



Yeah, and that Selena girl... well she's me. I've trained and trained, I mean everyone does. You never know who is going to be picked by the Elders.

Every 20 years when the Universe is getting filled with new planets the Elders on their planet pick someone to compete. A small section in the universe competes. The top 5 go to the next competition. All of the other planets are destroyed. And so on until there are 20 people left. More as 20 contestants left because we aren't "people". Those are the inhabitants on the planets that aren't as advance as our section in the Universe is.

Our universe is filled with planets, and new ones are being discovered as we speak. Now civilizations, new species, and that can be so different. It's amazing to see how many of the civilizations look different (but some are the same, like the living conditions which means same climate).

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If you don't win this competition, you're toast. Literally. I actually cried earlier today because I'm worried. I've been given the task of wining. Go big or go home. Right? That's what the Earth inhabitants say. Although wining means I die, either way I die and so does my family. Oh what fun that sounds like. I've visited Earth though. I look exactly like them (except I'm absolutely flawless, perfect brunette hair with blonde highlights, gorgeous brown eyes. Straight white teeth and my race has more strength and stamina). Interesting people humans are.

I bought these gym shoes when I was on Earth. It's brand is NIKE and their logo is Just Do It. I've stuck to it through this competition. It rings in my head every 5 seconds. Lately I found something out though. I'm not excited to be in the competition. I just want to go home. They don't destroy all of the planets. They spare a few. Don't want to wipe out every civilization.

"Tomorrow is the big day." Evan grins at me. Evan is my best friend. I'd like to think that when this is over we'll be back at home playing FIFA together (a game I found on Earth, it's fun. They call it soccer or futbol). "Evan, I'm worried. Yesterday I..." My voice starts to fade away. "Tell me Selena, what's bothering you?"

"They have tricked us Evan. All of these years. Whatever happened to the people that actually won these contests. Have you ever seen them wandering the streets? After three weeks they are gone, I didn't notice it my brother did. Because he is five years older than me he was alive. At five years old you notice things. Anyway," I pause. "They aren't just gone for a small period of time. They are killed. Evan, they kill them." He looks like someone has been strangling him. His face is all white. "What do you mean?"

"Promise you won't tell anyone, right?" I whisper. "Promise." he mumbles. "I heard one of the Guardians, Thomas talking about it. He said that the most powerful one will win. That they need to kill the most powerful one so that no one will overthrow the system. I'm not sure why he was explaining that. Who too?"

I walk away frowning. So is Evan. But it's time to go to bed and I need a goodnight's sleep. I don't want to die. But I don't want everyone else to. Even worse though I don't want the people after

me to share the same fate. I need to spread the word. I also heard that my family isn't spared. Their gone too. I didn't share that. I keep some things to myself. I won't let my family die because I'm sure. Either way my family dies and so do I.

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